

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:**

Page 1, between lines 1 and 2, insert the following heading:

*B1* BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION.

between lines 10 and 11, insert the following heading:

*B2* SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION.

Please delete the paragraph at page 1, lines 15-18, which starts with "The object is...".

Page 4, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following heading:

*B3* BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 4, line 22, as follows:

*B4* The invention will be described in more detail below with reference to the drawings, in which:

Page 5, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following heading:

*B5* DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS.